

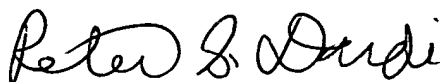
REMARKS

Claims 1-20 are pending. The enclosed divisional application has been amended relative to the parent application to change the title and to add the reference to the parent application just below the title. Also, references to copending application that has subsequently issued have been updated. Also, two incomplete statements were deleted from Examples 2 for clarity. The specification is otherwise identical to the parent application. The pending claims 1-20 correspond to claims 1-16 and 28-32 of the parent application as filed. These claims were canceled in the parent application in view of a restriction requirement. No new matter was introduced in the divisional application.

In view of the foregoing, it is submitted that this application is in condition for allowance. Favorable consideration and prompt allowance of the application are respectfully requested.

The Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned if the Examiner believes it would be useful to advance prosecution.

Respectfully submitted,



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